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MEMORANDUM FOR:

Director of Central Intelligence

SUBJECT:

Reimbursement Practices

1. As you will note from the attached draft letter, the discussions which you requested the DD/S and myself to undertake with the State Department and Bureau of the Budget on this subject have been completed. These discussions were based upon the attached report which you had approved for that purpose.

2. To conclude this matter now, it is recommended that you sign the attached letter to the Bureau of the Budget with a copy to the Department of State. It has been discussed informally with both agencies. In its present form it is believed satisfactory to them and to us. You will note that no reply from the Bureau is required though the Director of the Bureau might wish to reply. It is certain that if he did so it would be in a favorable manner.

3. It is believed that it would be desirable at this time to inform the other IAC agencies officially of this report. Accordingly, it is recommended that you authorize the dissemination to the IAC for its information a copy of the transmittal letter and of the report less its explanatory attachments.

(sgd) Richard M. Bissell, Jr.

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Attachments

APPROVAL:

CONCUR:

/s/   
Director of Central Intelligence

/s/   
Deputy Director (Support)

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